

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **SB 308 - HB 1750**

March 3, 2003

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Prohibits a driver with a learner permit or intermediate driver license from operating a motor vehicle while using a cellular phone. Specifies that violation of this provision is a Class B misdemeanor punishable by fine of \$100 and ineligibility to apply for an intermediate or unrestricted driver license for an additional 90 days from the time the driver would have otherwise been eligible.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase State Revenues - Less than \$100,000**

**Increase State Expenditures - \$35,000 One-Time**

**Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant**

Estimate assumes:

- an increase in state revenues from fines levied and collected. State receives revenues from fines in accordance with TCA 55-50-604.
- fewer than 1,000 violations annually.
- an increase in state expenditures for computer system changes necessary to implement provisions of the bill.
- clerks receive commission on fines collected.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director